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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.56

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 to inform the Patent and Trademark Office of all references coming to the attention of each individual associated with the filing or prosecution of the subject application, which are or may be material to the patentability of an claim of the subject application, Attorneys for Applicants hereby direct the Examiner's attention to the references AA-AF listed on the attached revised Form PTO/SB/08. Copies of references AA-AF are enclosed herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review the materials identified · above and that they be made of record in the file history of the application.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3), since this information disclosure statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, no fee is due in connection herewith. However, should the Patent Office determine otherwise, please charge the required fee to Human Genome Science, Inc., Deposit Account No. 08-3425. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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